

# TRUSTEE AREA BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENTS

**MAY 22, 2013**



MONTEREY PENINSULA  
COLLEGE

# BACKGROUND

**Summer 2011 – MPC's Citizens Redistricting Advisory Committee developed redistricting plan to address population changes per the 2010 Census**

**September 2011 – Board adopted final redistricting plan for the trustee areas**

**April 2012 – U.S. Dept. of Justice provided preclearance approval of the plan**

**April 2013 – Monterey County Elections request for adjustments to the boundaries**

**July 15, 2013 – Nominations open for November 2013 Trustee election**

# **MPCCD TRUSTEE AREAS**

**Trustee Area 1 – Seaside, Sand City**

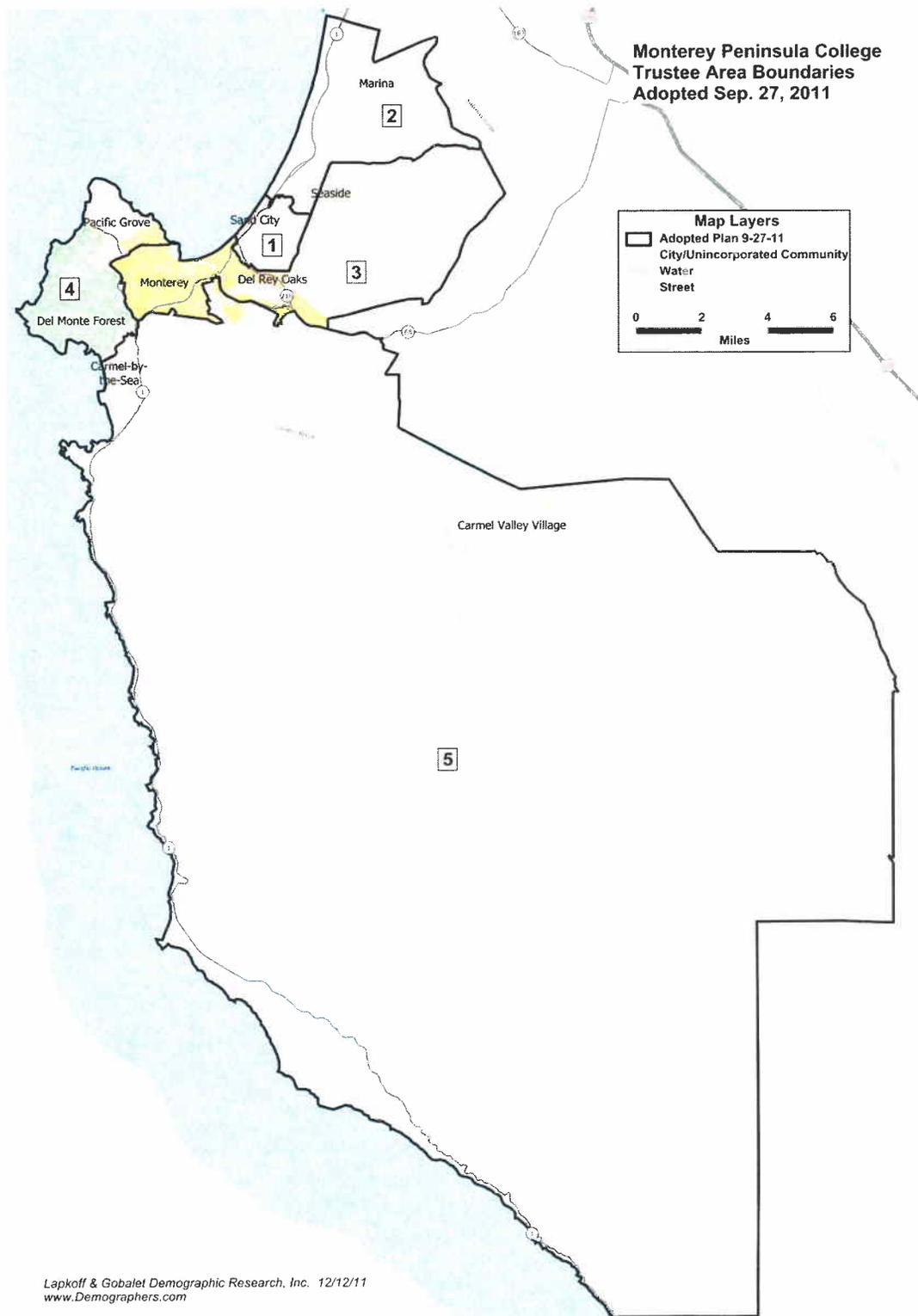
**Trustee Area 2 – Marina, CSUMB area of the former Fort Ord**

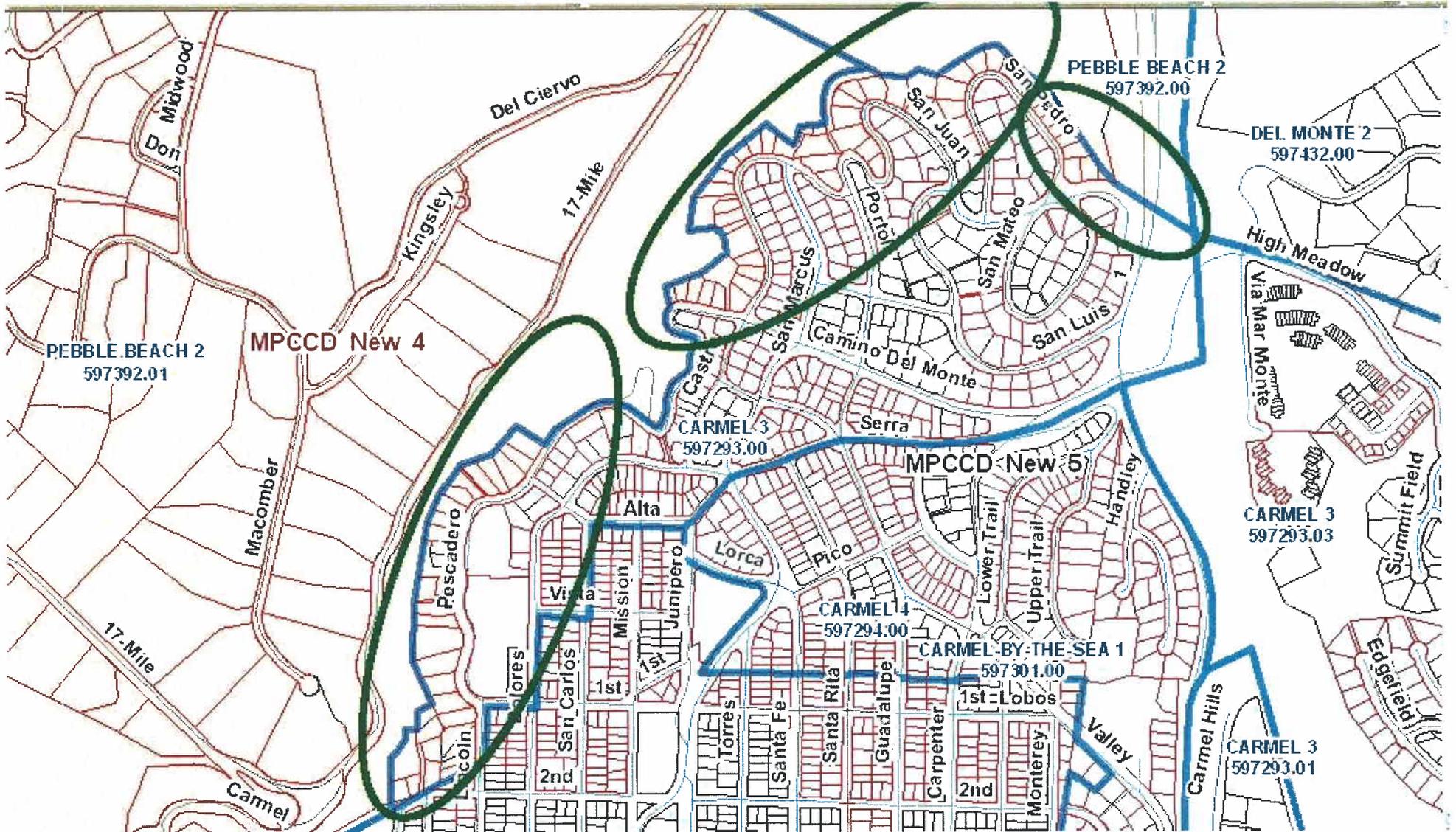
**Trustee Area 3 – Monterey, Del Rey Oaks, east Seaside and Monterey County**

**Trustee Area 4 – Pacific Grove, Pebble Beach, portion of New Monterey**

**Trustee Area 5 – Carmel, Carmel Valley, Big Sur**

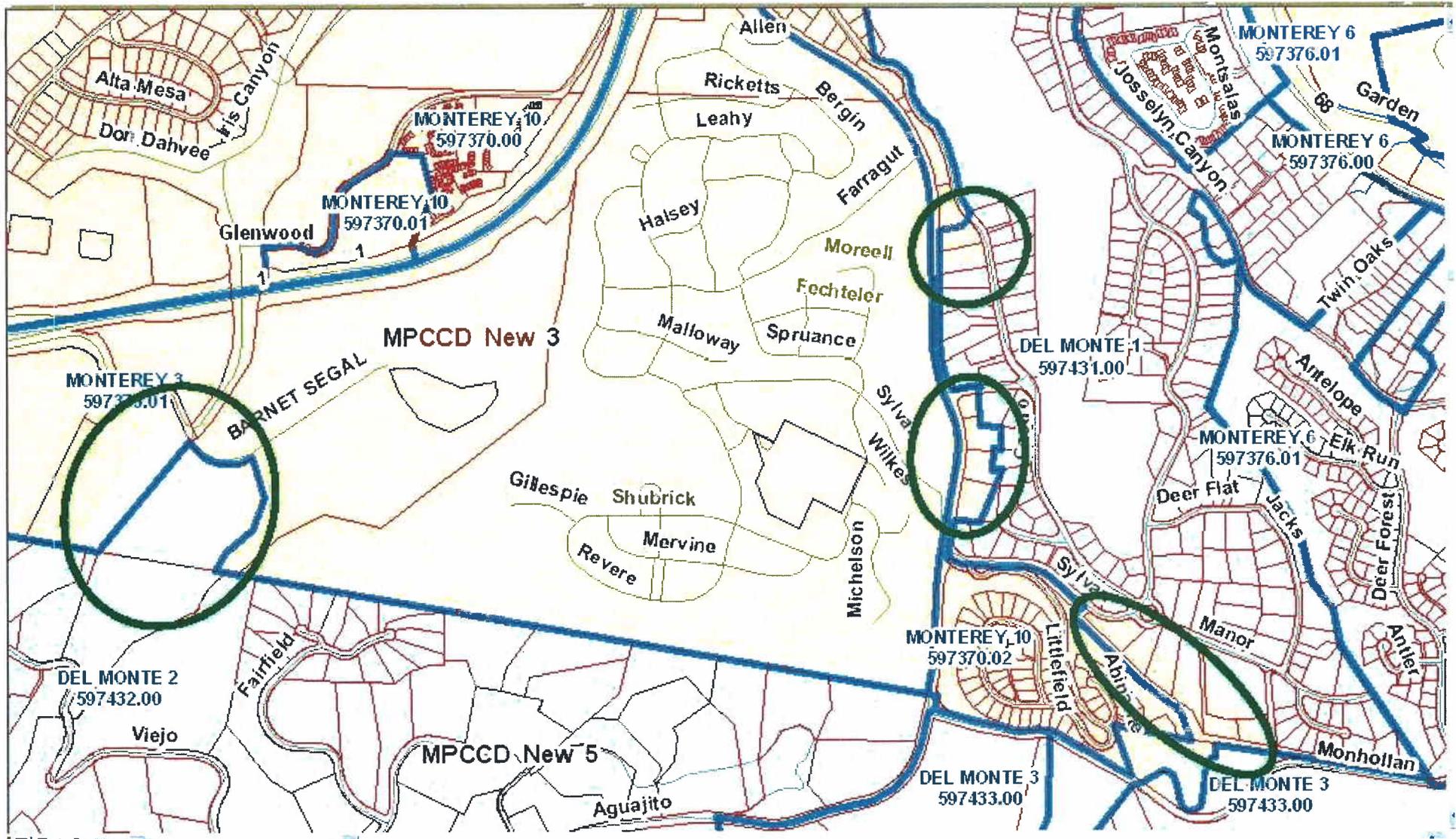
**Monterey Peninsula College  
Trustee Area Boundaries  
Adopted Sep. 27, 2011**





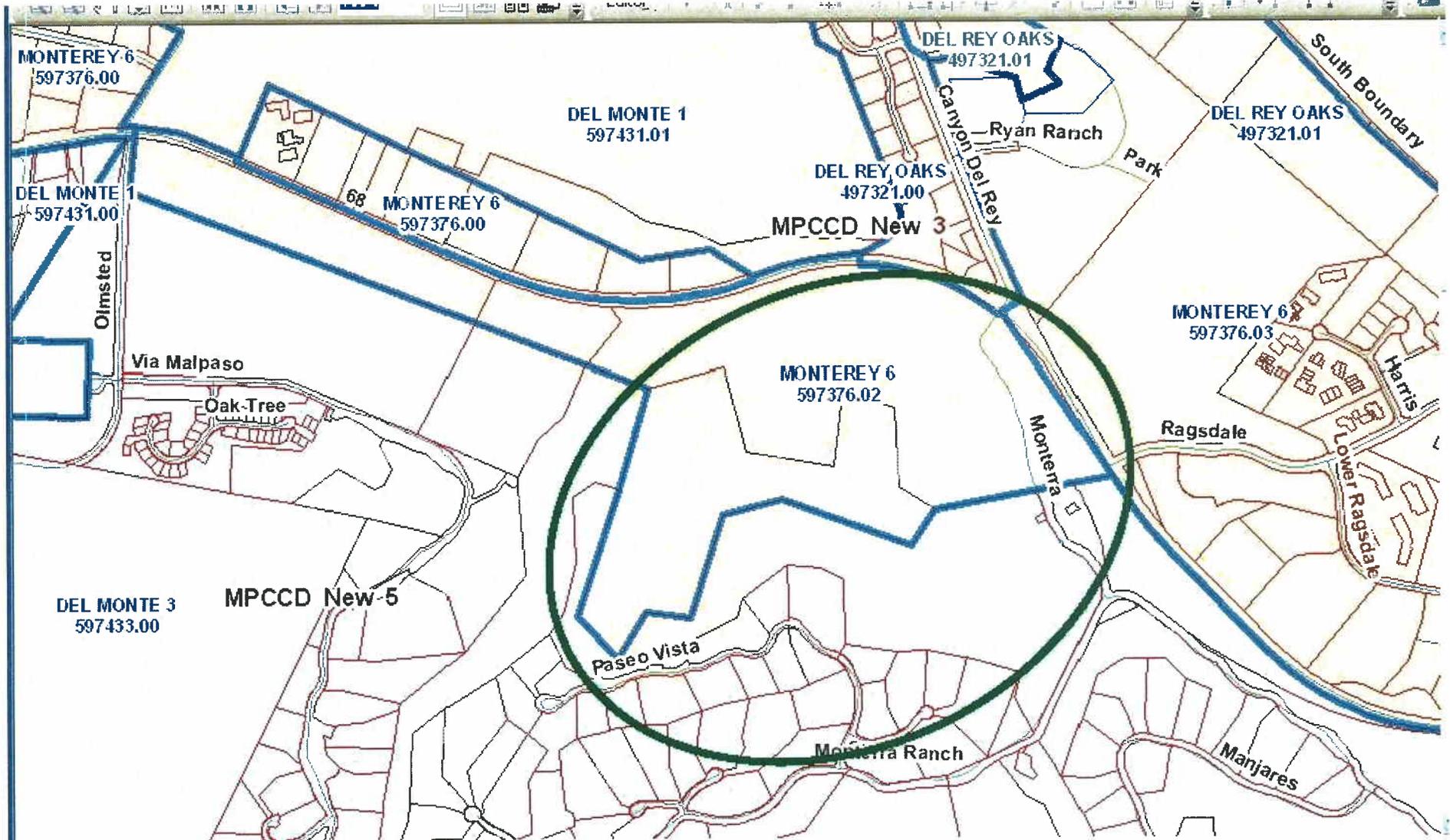
**ISSUE: NEW BOUNDARIES CUT THROUGH NEIGHBORHOOD, HOUSES, AND PRECINCT**

**Remedy: Use existing precinct boundary which follows the former MPC boundaries for trustee areas 4 and 5**



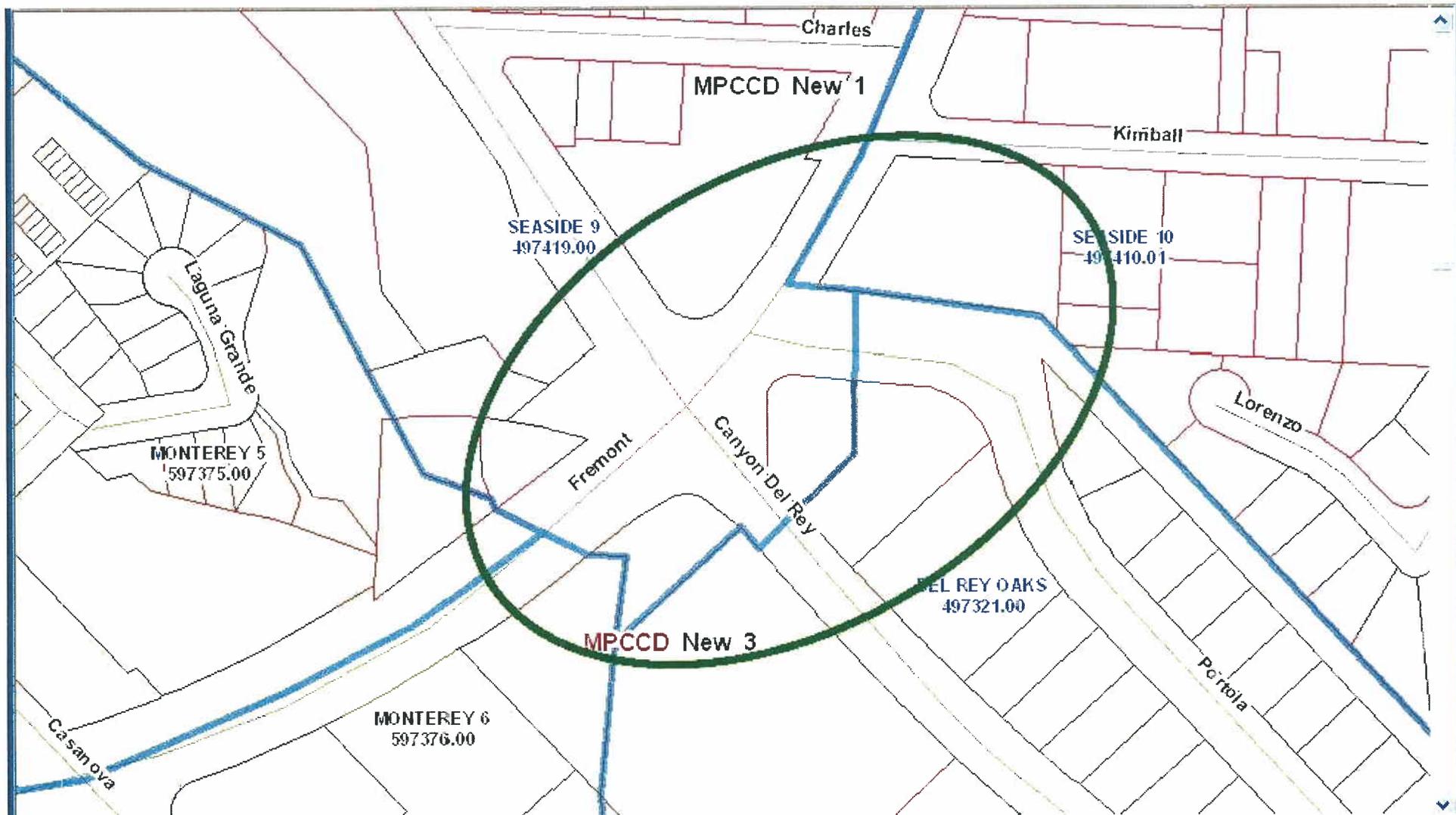
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**Remedy: Use existing precinct boundary which follows the city limits of Del Rey Oaks, Monterey, and Seaside**

# EFFECTS OF THESE BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENTS

**District's demographic consultant, Dr. Jeanne Gobalet, has evaluated the changes**

**Population of trustee areas must be almost equal in size**

- The adjustments slightly *improve* the population deviation between the 5 districts
- 10% deviation allowed
- Deviation reduced from 9.4% to 9.0%

# EFFECTS OF THESE BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENTS (CONTINUED)

## **Federal Voting Rights Act protects the voting power of minority groups**

- Boundary adjustments have no significant impact
- Shares of Hispanics and persons with Spanish surnames remain the same

## **Demographic characteristics**

- Adjustments do not result in significant differences

## **Demographer's Conclusion**

- Technical adjustments have no material impact

# NEXT STEPS

**Board of Trustees approve the resolution**

**Monterey County Elections Department will obtain preclearance from the U.S. Dept. of Justice**

**New trustee areas (with these adjustments) will in force for November 2013 trustee election**

**Official nomination period opens July 15**